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For: SEMICONDUCTOR MEMORY DEVICE AND METHOD FOR SELECTING  
MULTIPLE WORD LINES IN A SEMICONDUCTOR MEMORY DEVICE

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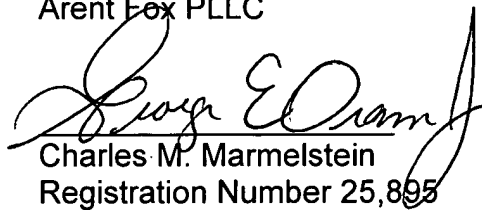
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